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FILE HEADING.

Bamapodo Mukerjee, second son of Chandra Kumar Mukerjee (deceased) of Baidyabati, Police station Serampore, Hooghly District.

From

The First Assistant to the Hon'ble the Resident in Mysore

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BRIEF ABSTRACT OF LETTER.

Forwards C.C.I.D circular 20:6 dated the 10th April 1905 from the Director, C.C. ID, as regards Bamapodo Mukerjee who is reported to be defrauding the public by means of bogus Railway receipts.

NOTES AND ORDERS.

As directed by the Dewan

Submitted with a draft memo forwarding the above to the Sy of Police, for information and necessary action.

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MEMORANDUM.

During the last two years a series of frauds have been committed by means of bogus railway receipts, and it is believed that, although these offences have occurred in widely distant places, they are all the handiwork of one man. This man is believed to be Bamapodo Mukerjee, the second son of Chandra Kumar Mukerjee (deceased) of Baidyabati, police station Serampore, district Hoogly. When about 25 years of age, he was disinherited and turned out of the house by his father. In 1888 he made the acquaintance at Kushtia of one Guru Charan Dalal, with whom he committed a fraud by means of a forged telegraphic money order. Guru Charan Dalal was sentenced to one year's imprisonment, but Bamapodo Mukerjee escaped from the Goalundo sub-jail, and he is still a fugitive from justice. After this he is believed to have resided for some time at Nasik in Bombay, and there he probably learnt to read and write Maharati, which knowledge he subsequently turned to account in connection with some of his bogus railway receipt frauds. In May 1904 he was at Waltair, where he was known to a Babu at the Waltair club. He has several times been seen about Calcutta, but he takes the greatest precautions to conceal his identity, and information regarding his movements has hitherto always arrived too late to be of any use. No definite information regarding his whereabouts has been received for some time. It has been suggested that he is at present in Burma, but this is merely surmise. He is said to be much attached to his wife, and in the past he has frequently visited her and her relations at different places. Bamapodo appears to be able to assume disguises with marked success, but his wife is more easily recognizable, and it is hoped that if she can be traced, the capture of Bamapodo may be effected. It is, therefore, requested that a watch may be kept not only for Bamapodo Mukerjee himself, but also for his wife. If the former is found he should of course be arrested at once, information being sent to the Director, Central Criminal Intelligence Department, at Simla, and to the Inspector General of Police, Bengal.

If the wife is found without Bamapodo, intimation of the fact should immediately be sent by telegram to the Central Criminal Intelligence Department at Simla, and the greatest precautions must be taken to ensure that she is not lost sight of. The watch upon her movements should be made, not by police officers in uniform, but by men in disguise or by private individuals. Women and boys can often be employed usefully for this purpose, and they can be remunerated from secret service funds. Care must be taken that the watch is of a secret nature, for if it is discovered that his wife is being shadowed Bamapodo will of course avoid her.

The following are the personal descriptions of Bamapodo Mukerjee and his wife, Binode Mohini :—

BAMAPODO MUKERJEE.—Age between 40 and 45 years, height about 5 feet 7 inches, complexion medium, but slightly red, stout build, probably about 36 inches round the chest, large round eyeballs, stoops when walking, is an inveterate opium and ganja smoker, hair slightly short with grey, had large moustache.

BINODE MOHINI.—Age about 35 years, fair complexion, stout, round face, walks with a limp of the left leg. Can read and write Bengali fluently; it is also believed that she understands English.

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SIMLA; H. A. STUART,

10th April 19(*Director, Central Criminal Intelligence Department.*

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